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Per steamship *Minnesota* January 23: For Seattle, passed 1.  
Per steamship *Nippon Maru* January 23: For Manila, passed 2.  
Rejections and detentions were for trachoma.

*Reports from Kobe—Inspection of vessels—Examination of emigrants.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Knight reports, January 12 and 21:

During the week ended January 9, 1 original and 4 supplemental bills of health were issued.

There were inspected 88 members of crews and 134 steerage passengers. Thirty-four members of crews and 36 steerage passengers were bathed and disinfected. Their effects were disinfected by steam. The number of pieces of baggage steamed was 174 and of bedding 70. Manifests were viséed for 30,133 pieces of freight, amounting to 2,859 tons.

Emigrants were examined as follows: Steamship *Tosa Maru* for Seattle, passed 14, recommended for rejection none; steamship *Asia* for Honolulu, passed 16, recommended for rejection 3, and steamship *Asia* for San Francisco 1, recommended for rejection none. The emigrants passed, together with 5 intending passengers to Victoria by the steamship *Tosa Maru*, were inspected, bathed, and disinfected. Their effects were disinfected.

During the week ended January 16, 1909, supplemental bills of health were granted to 5 steamships.

There were inspected 99 members of crews and 173 steerage passengers. Fourteen steerage passengers were bathed and disinfected. Their effects were disinfected by steam. The number of pieces of baggage steamed was 36 and of bedding 26. Manifests were viséed for 73,089 pieces of freight, amounting to 5,115 tons.

Emigrants were examined as follows: Steamship *Shinano Maru* for Seattle, passed 4, recommended for rejection 6; and steamship *Mongolia* for Honolulu, passed 9, recommended for rejection 3.

The emigrants passed, together with 1 intending passenger to Victoria by the steamship *Shinano Maru*, were inspected, bathed, and disinfected, and their effects were disinfected before embarkation.

MEXICO.

*Report from Mexico City—Yellow fever at Veracruz, Merida, and in vicinity of Maxcanu.*

The following is received from Dr. Eduardo Liceaga, president of the superior board of health of Mexico, under date of February 4:

During the week ended January 30, 1 case and 1 death from yellow fever were reported at Veracruz; 1 case at Merida, and 1 case at San Bernardo, vicinity of Maxcanu.

*Report from Coatzacoalcas—Inspection of vessels—Smallpox reported at Tehuantepec.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Thompson reports, February 4:

Week ended February 3. Inspected, 2 vessels.

No cases of quarantinable disease were reported.

Tehuantepec, a station on the Tehuantepec Railway, is reported to be infected with smallpox.